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ILLINOIS RACING BOARD

NOTICE OF ADOPTED AMENDMENTS

- 1) Heading of the Part: Board Meetings
- 2) Code Citation: 11 Ill. Adm. Code 206
- 3)

<u>Section Number:</u>	<u>Adopted Action:</u>
206.10	Amend
206.40	New
206.50	New
- 4) Statutory Authority: 230 ILCS 5/9(b)
- 5) Effective Date of Rulemaking: June 1, 2012
- 6) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 7) Does this amendment contain incorporation by reference? No
- 8) A copy of the adopted amendment, including any material incorporated by reference, is on file in the agency's central office and is available for public inspection.
- 9) Notice of Proposal Published in Illinois Register: 36 Ill. Reg. 2481 – February 17, 2012.
- 10) Has JCAR issued a Statement of Objections to this rule? No
- 11) Differences between proposal and final version: None
- 12) Have all the changes agreed upon by the agency and JCAR been made as indicated in the letter issued by JCAR? Yes
- 13) Will these amendments replace any emergency amendments currently in effect? No
- 14) Are there any other proposed amendments pending in this Part? No
- 15) Summary and purpose of rulemaking: The proposed amendments to Section 206.40 establish guidelines for public participation of interested parties including the submission of documents and addressing the Board. The proposed amendment to Section 206.50 describes the guidelines for Board members participating in meetings telephonically. The proposed amendment to Section 206.10 applies to petitioners and a deadline for the submission of documents.

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- 16) Information and questions regarding these adopted amendments shall be directed to:

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The full text of the Adopted Amendments begins on the next page:

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TITLE 11: ALCOHOL, HORSE RACING, AND LOTTERY

SUBTITLE B: HORSE RACING

CHAPTER I: ILLINOIS RACING BOARD

SUBCHAPTER a: GENERAL RULES

PART 206

BOARD MEETINGS

Section

206.10	Request for Board Action
206.20	Board Meeting Agenda
206.30	Annual Notice of Monthly Meetings
<u>206.40</u>	<u>Public Participation</u>
<u>206.50</u>	<u>Board Members</u>

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by Section 9(b) of the Illinois Horse Racing Act of 1975 [230 ILCS 5/9(b)].

SOURCE: Adopted at 5 Ill. Reg. 10331, effective September 25, 1981; codified at 5 Ill. Reg. 10878; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 7407, effective April 29, 1994; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

Section 206.10 Request for Board Action

- a) All persons who seek Board action shall submit a request or application to the Board in writing no later than ~~that fifteen (15)~~ calendar days before the date of the Board meeting at which the request or application is to be heard. To allow for distribution to the Board members and staff, copies of any additional materials must be submitted to the staff at least 7 calendar days prior to the meeting. Materials received after the deadline will not be accepted unless late submission is approved by the Executive Director.
- b) This ~~rule~~Part shall not apply to requests for hearings under ~~Part 204~~ (11 Ill. Adm. Code 204) or to applications for the conduct of race meetings conducted pursuant to ~~Part 205~~ (11 Ill. Adm. Code 205).

(Source: Amended at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 206.40 Public Participation

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- a) Interested parties may submit written materials on any agenda matter in advance of the Board meeting. To allow for distribution to the Board members and staff, copies of all material must be submitted to the staff at least 7 calendar days prior to the meeting. Materials received after the deadline will not be accepted unless late submission is approved by the Executive Director.
- b) Interested parties wishing to speak at a Board meeting on a specific agenda matter shall notify Board staff at least 7 calendar days prior to the meeting of their name, address and subject matter. Persons shall have the right to speak before the Board during the specific time specified within the agenda's order of business. Each speaker shall limit his/her discussion to his/her subject and shall keep his/her presentation to five minutes or less, unless extended by the Chairman.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective_____)

Section 206.50 Board Members

If a quorum of Board members is physically present at an open meeting, a majority of the Board may allow a Board member to attend the meeting telephonically if the member cannot otherwise attend because of personal illness or disability, employment obligations, other business of the Board, or a family or other emergency. In these instances, the Board member who wishes to attend telephonically will notify the Executive Director before the meeting, unless advance notice is impractical.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective_____)